

Art Unit: 3742

### EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

The application has been amended as follows:

**In the claims:**

Claim 43, line 6, delete "the" second occurrence and insert therefor --a--; line 6, after "comprises" insert --a--;

Cancel claim 44;

Claim 45, line 2, delete "42" and insert therefor --43--;

Claim 47, line 2, delete "<sup>42</sup>46" and insert therefor --43--.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Reginald L. Alexander whose telephone number is 571-272-1395. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Tu Hoang can be reached on 571-272-4780. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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